

REMARKS

Claims 21 and 23 through 40 are pending, with independent claims 21 and 35 (the only independent claims in the case) being amended to incorporate the allowable subject matter of now-cancelled dependent claim 22, and claims 23, 24, 27-29, and 31-34 being amended to correct their dependency (from canceled claim 1 to independent claim 21, the former having been due to a typographical error). Also, a corrected Abstract is presented herein.

Examiner objected to the Specification in view of the length and phraseology (as carried over from the original Chinese language translation) of the Abstract. A revised Abstract is presented herein (both with markings to show the changes, and in a clean version without markings) to resolve the objections. Accordingly, withdrawal of the objections is respectfully solicited.

Examiner rejected claims 21 and 23-40 over certain prior art, but indicated that dependent claim 22 presented allowable subject matter. While Applicants do not necessarily agree with the rejections, it is respectfully submitted that the rejections are now moot. In that regard, independent claim 21 is rewritten to include the subject matter of claim 22 (and claim 22 is canceled), which is submitted to thus place claim 21, and its dependent claims 23-24, in condition for allowance. Similarly, independent claim 35 is revised to incorporate subject matter akin to claim 22. Claim 35, and its dependent claims 36-40, are thus also submitted to be in condition for allowance.

CONCLUSION

Applicants have endeavored to respond to all issues raised in the Official Action and submit that the case is now in condition for allowance. Accordingly, a formal Notice of

Allowance is respectfully solicited at the earliest opportunity. Should any questions or issues remain, Examiner is respectfully requested to contact undersigned counsel in an effort to promptly resolve same.

Respectfully submitted,
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